(*d*) The Medical Council will be meeting shortly for the purpose.

(*e*) This does not arise in view to the answer to part (*d*).

Travancore Medical Council.

36. *MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of applications received for registration by the Travancore Medical Council;

(*b*) the number of applications accepted ; and

(*c*) the number of registration certificates issued so far ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : (*a*) 8518.

(*b*) The Medical Council will meet shortly for the purpose of registration.

(*c*) The question does not arise in view to answer (*b*).

Grant-in-aid to the Vaidyasala conducted by Vaidyan Mr. M. N. Kesava Pillai.

37. *MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether any representation from the public has been submitted to Government or the Ayurveda Director praying for grant-in-aid being given to the Vaidyasala conducted at Chathangari (illegible) in the Tiruvalla taluk by Vaidyan Mr. M. N. Kesava Pillai ; and

(*b*) if the answer to (*a*) is in the affirmative the action taken thereon ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : (*a*) Yes. The Director of Ayurveda has received a representation.

(*b*) The matter is under consideration.

Ayurveda Vaidyasala at Kunnamthanam.

38. *MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether any representation from the public has been submitted to Government on 29-4-1120 praying for opening a grant-in-aid Ayurveda Vaidyasala at Kunnamthanam in the Tiruvalla taluk ; and

(*b*) if the answer to (a) is in the affirmative, the action taken thereon ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The matter is under consideration.

Public Limited Companies.

39. *MR. P. S. MOHAMED : Will the Government be pleased :

(*a*) to lay on the table a statement showing the number of Public Limited Companies that were started during the period of last three years ; and

(*b*) to state the names of those companies along with the names of their managing directors ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : A statement containing the required information is laid on the Secretary's table.

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Companies and Corporations in Travancore.

40. *MR. N. D PARAMESWARAN NAMBOODIRI (*The Travancore Jenmies-North*) : Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of Companies and Corporations registered in Travancore for the years 1110 to 1118 ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : The total number of Joint Stock Companies registered in Travancore for the years 1110 to 1118 is given below.

1110	...	9
1111	...	35
1112	...	71
1113	...	58
1114	...	23
1115	...	14
1116	...	15
1117	...	31
1118	...	82
		338.

Co-operative Societies.

41. * MR. P. S. MOHAMED : Will the Government be pleased :

(*a*) to lay on the table a statement showing the number of Co-operative Societies that came into existence during the period of last four years ; and

(*b*) to state the number of Co-operative Societies that do the work of distribution of food grains, sugar and kerosene oil ?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Registrar of Co-operative Societies*) :

	Year.		*No.*
(*a*)	1116	...	59
	1117	...	19
	1118	...	77
	1119	...	152
(*b*)		...	850

Punishments for corruption.

42. *MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of Police Constables dismissed for corruption in the years 1119 and 1120 respectively ; and

(*b*) the number of Constables who were given other punishments for corruption in the years 1119 and 1120 respectively ?

MR. S. PARTHASARATHI IYENGAR (*Inspector General of Police*) :

	1119	1120
Dismissal	5	5
Other punishments	5	Nil.

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MR. C. KUMARA DAS : (*a*) No.

(*b*) Yes:

(*c*) Four Sub-Committees.. (i) Electricity Development Sub-Committee : Members are Sir Henry Howard, Messrs. S. J. Bruford, I. C. Chacko, and K. P. P. Menon (*Convener*). (ii) Industries Sub-Committee : Members are Messrs. E. I. Chacko, K. P. P. Menon, A. G. Pandit, G. P. Ogale, K. M. Madhava Panicker and Dr. K. L. Moudgill (*Convener*). (iii) Agriculture and Irrigation Sub-Committee. Members are Messrs. I. C. Chacko, K. P. P. Menon, E. I. Chacko, S. Krishna Aiyar, G. A. Baker and K. R. Narayana Aiyar (*Convener*). (iv) Roads and Road Development Sub-Committee : Members are Messrs. E. G. Salter, S. Parthasarathi Iyengar, C. P. Mehta and L. Venkitakrishna Aiyar (*Convener*).

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) The Committees are expected to consider non-official opinion also.

(*f*) A provision of Rs. 71 lakhs has been made in the current year's budget under 45 E Contribution to Post-war Reconstruction Fund. It has been estimated that with the present financial resources, over 8 crores may be available.

(*g*) This depends on the policy of the Government of India. In the matter of road programme a subsidy is probable.

(*h*) Yes. A list of the *Committees on which this Government are represented is appended.

Post-war Reconstruction Works.

2. MR. P. O. THOMAS : Will the Government be pleased to state what steps, if any, they have taken for getting the necessary trained men in Travancore for carrying out the various Post-war Reconstruction works planned by the Government?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS : Action is being taken to depute candidates for higher technical training abroad as well as in India.

Purchase of rice, wheat etc.

3. MR. K. G. KESAVAN NAIR : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the authority, who or the agency which on behalf of the Government arranges for the purchase of rice, wheat etc., outside the State ; and

(*b*) the authority or the agency from which rice and other articles of food are being purchased from places outside the State ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR : (*a*) and (*b*) The purchases of rice, wheat etc , from outside the State are made by the Supplying Administrations themselves through their agents

Fertiliser Factory.

4. MR. K. G. KESAVAN NAIR: Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the probable amount the Government will have to spend for the Fertiliser Factory ;

* *Vide* Appendix—I.

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